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Serial No. : 09/233,443 Group Art Unit: 1617
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For : ENCAPSULATION OF SENSITIVE LIQUID
COMPONENTS INTO A MATRIX TO OBTAIN
DISCRETE SHELF-STABLE PARTICLES

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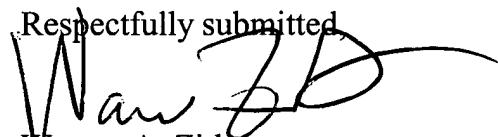
In the Final Rejection dated 3/17/03, the Examiner advised that the prior art cited with the Fifth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed 3/22/02 (Paper #25) and with the Sixth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed 7/25/02 (Paper #27) are not of record.

In a May 7, 2003 telephone conference with Examiner Webman, the Examiner stated that six U.S. patents cited in the Fifth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement and all of the references cited in the Sixth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement have been lost somewhere in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. Therefore, resubmitted herewith are copies of references submitted with the Sixth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (Paper #27) and the six U. S. patents (U.S. Patent Nos. 5,023,083, 6,008,027, 6,048,551, 5,750,104, 4,816,259, and 5,902,617)

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submitted with the Fifth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (Paper #25), which the Examiner indicated are missing. Clean copies of the Forms PTO-1449 from the Fifth and Sixth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statements are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

The filing fee was submitted with the Fifth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed March 8, 2002 (certificate of mailing March 8, 2002), and the Sixth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed July 25, 2002 (certificate of mailing July 1, 2002). Thus, no fees are due. If any other fees are due upon filing of this document, please charge our Deposit Account No. 501032.

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